

## South Coast Air Quality Management District

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## **Summary of the Revisions to Proposed Amended Rule 1110.2** July 25, 2007

Original Proposal	Revisions
Requirements	
• Reduce NOx, CO and VOC concentration limits to 11/70/30 ppmvd @ 15% O2 by 2010-2012	<ul> <li>Increase CO limit from 70 to 250 ppmvd.</li> <li>Exception for low-use engines: &lt; 500 hrs/yr or &lt; 1 billion Btu/yr.</li> <li>For 2-stroke engines, allow a case-by case CO and VOC limits if 250/30 is not achievable</li> </ul>
• 7/1/2012 compliance date for biogas engines using > 90% biogas annually.	<ul> <li>Resolution will direct staff to: not submit the 2012 biogas limits as part of the SIP; and conduct a technology review by 7/1/2010</li> <li>10% natural gas limit changed to monthly</li> <li>Exception to the 10% natural gas limit if it would result in digestor gas flaring.</li> </ul>
• For engines without CEMS, require an air- to-fuel ratio controller (AFRC) with an oxygen sensor and feedback control	Allow other equivalent control technology approved by the Executive Officer (EO)
Continuous Emission Monitoring	Not assert as a CO CEMS for the subseque (LD)
<ul> <li>For engines currently required to have a NOx CEMS, add a CO CEMS</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Not require a CO CEMS for lean-burn (LB) engines</li> <li>Allow NOx CEMs to be out-of-service for two weeks to allow installation of CO CEMs (avoids need for a variance)</li> </ul>
• Require NOx and CO CEMs for groups of engines > 1000 combined hp	<ul> <li>Combined hp threshold increased to 1500 hp</li> <li>Exclusions for &lt; 500 hp engines, engines limited to standby use, low-use engines &lt; 1000 hours/yr or 8 billion Btu/yr, groups of engines limited to no more than 1500 hp of engines operating simultaneously</li> <li>No CO CEMS for LB engines or RECLAIM engines not required to have a NOx CEMs</li> <li>Prohibit moving an engine to avoid requirement</li> </ul>
• Allow time-sharing for the new CEMS	Modifications to the Rule 218/218.1 requirements to simplify requirements, reduce costs, and make time-sharing more feasible

Source Testing	
• Increase source testing frequency from every three years, to every two years or 8,750 hours of operation, whichever comes sooner	• Exception if < 2000 operating hours since last source test
<ul> <li>Require tests at actual minimum load, actual maximum load, and under normal operating conditions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Minimum and maximum load tests based on what can be practically achieved during the test</li> <li>Require only one test if an engine is limited to one load, ± 5%</li> </ul>
• Require source test protocol	<ul> <li>Add determination of minimum required VOC test length</li> <li>Allow submittal of a previously-approved protocol if no significant changes</li> <li>Extend source test due date if AQMD approval is delayed</li> </ul>
• Require source test report submittal to EO within 45 days of the test	<ul> <li>Allow 15-day extension if report not available from contractor</li> </ul>
• Require sampling ports, sampling platforms and utilities	<ul> <li>Allow scaffolding or mechanical lifts</li> <li>Compliance with California General Safety Orders</li> <li>Partial exceptions for agricultural engines</li> </ul>
Inspection and Monitoring	Turtur enceptions for agricultural engines
• For engines without CEMS, requires determining acceptable ranges, based on testing, for operating parameters such as: load; O2 sensor output; catalyst inlet, outlet and delta temperatures;	<ul> <li>For rich-burn (RB) engines, determine the acceptable range of O2 sensor output deviation from setpoints</li> <li>For LB engines, determine the acceptable range of O2 sensor output</li> <li>Maximum and minimum catalyst temperatures may be based on manufacturer specifications</li> <li>For RB engines, the normal catalyst delta T must be identified</li> <li>Exception for diesel engines without exhaust gas recirculation and catalylic controls</li> </ul>
Weekly or 150-hour portable analyzer tests, reduced to monthly or 750-hour if three successful tests	• For diesels and other LB engines that are subject to RECLAIM or have a NOx CEMs, a quarterly or 2000-hr CO test is required
• For RB engines, determine acceptable range for O2 sensor output whenever a set point adjustment is needed or an O2 sensor is replaced	• Identify procedure for set point adjustments
Require plan revision procedures	<ul> <li>Specify a plan revision needed for changes to emission limits or control equipment</li> </ul>

New DG Engine Monitoring	
• Requires monitoring of net electrical output	Requires a calibrated electric meter
• For DG engines with CEMs, requires	<ul> <li>Adds ppmvd, lbs/hr and net MW<sub>e</sub>-hrs</li> </ul>
monitoring and recording of lbs/MW <sub>e</sub> -hr	
Reporting	
• Report noncompliance in same manner as Rule 430	• Remove reference to Rule 430, and put requirements in Rule 1110.2
Compliance Schedules	
Compliance schedule for equipment modifications starting 12 months before compliance date	• For three of the steps, an additional 30 to 60 days is provided after a permit to construct is issued
• All engines requiring CEMS on same compliance schedule starting in 2008 (Table VII)	<ul> <li>Engines &lt; 750 hp given an extra year</li> <li>Public agencies given an extra year</li> <li>3 tracks starting in 2008, 2009 and 2010</li> </ul>
AFRC required within 1 year of rule adoption	• For operators with more than 5 engines, an additional 3 months is allowed for up to 50% of the engines
•	<ul> <li>Exception from the compliance schedule dates if the operator commits in writing to remove an engine from service by the final compliance date.</li> </ul>
Exemptions	
• 15-minute startup exemption	• 30-minute startup exemption, or more on a case-by-case basis.
•	• Removal of exemptions for ski area engines and engines outside South Coast and Salton Sea Air Basins
•	<ul> <li>Revises exemption for agricultural emergency engines to take into account many will be exempt from a permit</li> </ul>

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